

Community Health Assessment Checklist NC Local Health Department Accreditation



CHA/CHNA Year: Local Health Department:

	Benchmark 1: A local health department shall conduct and disseminate results of regular community health assessments	Intent: The CHA report is the primary source of information used by the LHD in developing its strategic plan and in guiding new programs and services.	Met	Not Met (X)	CAP Needed (Yes/No)
1.1	Conducted at least every 4 years (48 months)	Previous CHA/CHNA:			
1.1 a	Provide evidence of community collaboration in planning and conducting the assessment	Page/s:			
1.1 b	Reflect the demographic profile of population	Page/s:			
1.1 c	Describe socioeconomic, educational and environmental factors that affect health	Page/s:			
1.1 d	Assemble and analyze secondary data (collected by someone other than the health department) to describe the health status of the community.	Page/s:			
1.1 e	Collect and analyze primary data (collected by the health department) to describe the health status of the community.	Page/s:			
1.1f	Compile and analyze trend data to describe changes in community health status and in factors affecting health.	Page/s:			
1.1 g	Use scientific methods for collecting and analyzing data	Page/s:			
1.1 h	Identify population groups at risk for health problems	Page/s:			
1.1 i	Identify existing and needed health resources.	Page/s:			
1.1 j	Compare selected local data with data from other jurisdictions (e.g., local to state, local to local).	Page/s:			
1.1 k	Identify leading community health problems.	Page/s:			
Additi	onal Comments:				



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CA-FY18 CA-FY19	The Department shall provide to the Local Technical Assessment and Training Branch Head or designee:				
10. a	Comprehensive community health assessment (CHA) at least every four years, for each county or health district	Previous CHA/CHNA:			
10. a	CHA should be a collaborative effort with local partners inclusive of hospitals, businesses, community partners, and the local Healthy Carolinians Partnership (if such exists)	Page/s:			
10. a	Collection and analysis of primary data at the county and district level (if such exists), secondary data from the State Center for Health Statistics (SCHS) and other sources	Page/s:			
10. a	Assessment and analysis of community resources	Page/s:			
10. a	Identify a list of community health problems based on the assessment	Page/s:			
10. a	Each identified problem shall be prioritized and described in the narrative.	Page/s:			
10. a	CHA will include data analysis of those indicators listed in the Accreditation Self-Assessment Inventory, Benchmark 1, Activity 1.1.	Page/s:			
10. a	CHA is due on the first Monday in March following the year of assessment	Date received:			
12.	Requests variances in submission of documents in writing in advance of the required date of submission. Emails may be sent to the Director, Community Health Assessment, Local Technical Assistance and Training Branch (LTAT) cha.sotch@dhhs.nc.gov	Date of request:			
13.	Refer to CHA tools at https://publichealth.nc.gov/lhd/				
DPH	Executive Summary	Page/s:			
Website	Documentation	Style:			

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